

Commissioner for Patents
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Applicant submits this Amendment in response to the Office Action dated December 24, 2008. This response is being timely filed within shortened statutory period of three months, and therefore no fees are believed due. However, if any additional fees are due, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

Remarks begin on page 5.